AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the first paragraph on page 7 of the Specification as follows:

-- Figure 6 is a block diagram illustrating a data flow indicating the two processes that are carried out; a network printer detection process and an SMS messaging process. The two processes communicate by means of semaphores, flags or global variables, as is well known within the art ~~and will not be discussed further~~. The printer detection method may be by means of the NDIS protocol, the Bluetooth service discovery profile, or some other suitable methods as are well known within the art ~~and will not be discussed further~~. The following is a detailed description for the network printer detection process and the SMS messaging process in accordance with FIG. 6. A wireless communication device checks firstly whether a received SMS exists or not (601). When checked that the SMS exists, it is detected that there is a network printer (605) and then, it is checked that the detected network printer is available. If the network printer is available (607) then processing as to the corresponding SMS is performed (601), for example output, and so on. The above steps 60f1, 603, 605 and 607 are repeatedly performed. As the devices connected to the local wireless network are so fluid in terms of being easily removed from and moved around the network, it is preferable that a search for a peripheral device, such as a printer, is carried out as near to the time it is required as possible, whilst also trying to reduce the amount of time the user is aware that they are waiting for a search to be completed. --

REMARKS

Prior to examiner, please amend the Specification as shown above. No new matter has been added.

All of the claims pending in the Application are believed to be in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference or personal interview would facilitate resolution of any remaining matters, the Examiner may contact Applicant's attorney at the number given below.

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